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Venstob Shivers Sailor De Calvert's Timbers--Scott Masters Larsen

**Ronnie McLaren Loses on Alleged Foul--Don Hollor and
Starchesky Go to a Draw--Enthusiastic
Crowd Turn Out Despite Weather**

Viking, Feb. 23.
Vikings first fight program of the year, was staged at the Elks' hall Monday evening, and two hundred or so fans braved inclement weather and were well satisfied with the entertainment with exception of an exhibition affair. There was, of course, a salvo of bores at some of the decisions. But they have been--and always will be--part and parcel of the game. The Brother Bills sponsored the program, being promoted by sons Camille Dupre, under whose energetic and careful supervision and match-making ability, was carried out at per schedule with exception of one bout--Kortzman vs. Nore--the latter suffered two broken ribs, in training, and a Mr. Starchesky consented to go with Kortzman in an exhibition stanza.

While interest centred around the main event, a ten round go between Sailor De Calvert, of Kinsella district, and young Edwin Venstob, who calls for his mail at Woodlawn post office in the wheat belt southwest of town, there was plenty of action in the final that the referee, J. G. Dobry, "Red" terror of Irma, one sorrel-topped Larsen, the human windmill, and George Scott, the mist artist de luxe of Viking. The preliminary bouts were also speedy and rounded out a boxing entertainment that will be talked about until spring languishes in the lap of summer.

Main Bout
Husky young Venstob proceeded in his herculean way from the first tap of the gong to shiver the "Sailor's" timbers, and at the end of the tenth round had all but shattered said timbers, and got a well-earned decision.

De Calvert showed plenty of pluck and at times packed a punch that stopped the fiery "Sailor" for a second or two, but from the fourth round on Venstob went to "plowing" in dead earnest and in a way that caused the excitement of the sky-line looking for reinforcements to break or the horizon which never came.

He used the boxing tricks again in years of boxing to escape the bombardment from his fresh, youthful and energetic fighting opponent, but were useless. The spirit to keep the enigma of His Majesty's Canadian Navy unscathed was strong within him, but the modern tactics he produced on the prairies was too formidable. For a couple of rounds, the "Sailor" was embarrassed Venstob with his bobbing, weaving and ducking tactics, and Edwin connected with plenty of lefts and rights and uppercuts and they took plenty of punishment, but the man who sailed the high seas in his youth, Venstob's win was well earned and proved popular with the crowd. It is a step higher than the squared circle.

Scribes at the ringside gave Venstob five rounds, three even, and the "Sailor" two.
Undoubtedly the bout that gave the fans a real thrill was the one between George Scott and "Red" Larsen. For five rounds these boys were on their toes. Larsen, after the first round, slowed up on account of insufficient training, while Scott, who trained faithfully for the match, improved in every round. It was a clear-cut victory for Scott who displayed real boxing ability against a worthy adversary. Scott scored two knock-downs, one in the second round, and in the fourth, but the Irma red-head came up smiling and was a menace at all times to the shy Scott.

Don Hollor and F. Starchesky staged a snappy four round go, and Hollor was the aggressor most of the time. The referee decided that Hollor had quite an edge over Frank. In a three round exhibition, Kortzman and Sanderlin displayed real boxing form, but it was too tame to interest the crowd. These boys are capable of some real ring work, but the fans would like to see them in some regular matches.

Ronnie McLaren lost his bout to Bert Siegel on an alleged foul blow in the last minute of the fourth round. Ronnie had Bert pretty well fagged out in every round, and had the nicely tucked away when the alleged blow occurred, as they went out of a clinch. Ronnie tapped Bert on the back after they got up, and the thought Ronnie should have waited until Bert got out of range. The decision was very unpopular.

AT THE RINGSIDE

Monsieur Dupre's programs always command a "house" . . . Monday evening's was no exception . . . fine, big, good natured . . . orderly . . . the sign of good sports.

Funny, but you can win and lose at the same time in the padded ring . . . Ronnie had a tuff break . . . had Siegel "all out" only to get nosed out of the decision on an alleged poke at his opponent in a "break" . . . minus that, undoubtedly Ronnie was the victor . . . and Siegel had sure and solid base of the "count" . . . seems to be a divergence of opinion as to how long is a "second" . . . Greenwich time.

Referee's decision very unpopular with fans in second prelin . . . Don

Review of Western Markets

Cattle

BEEF--Receipts at Edmonton have been light, with demand showing more activity and prices steady to a shade stronger. Choice heavy steers \$3.25@3.50; choice light \$3.50@4.00; good \$3.30@3.50; medium \$2.75@2.95; common \$2.50@2.75. Choice heifers made \$3.00@3.25; good \$2.75@3.00; cows sold at \$1.75@2.00; good \$1.50@1.75; medium \$1.25@1.50; common \$1.00@1.25; canners and cutters 50c@70c.

Choice bulls \$1.00@1.25; medium \$0.75@1.00; canners from 50c up. Choice light calves from \$4.00; common \$1.50@1.75. FEEDERS--STOCKERS--Demand in this section of the market fair, but receipts light. Prices steady. Feeder steers \$1.50@1.75; stockers \$1.50@1.75.

Hogs
Edmonton prices steady; hogs \$2.75@3.00; butchers \$2.25, fed and watered base.

Sheep
Edmonton slightly easier this week at Winnipeg. Eight-day holiday of the meat market caused Chicago to state to sell, and a drop of over 1c was recorded on Tuesday. Liverpool came down to lower Canadian and Argentine offers.

Cream--Butter--Milk
CREAM--Prices unchanged: Special, 17c; first, 15c; second, 12c, at country point and centralizing plants. Receipts still on light order due to weather.

CREAMERY BUTTER--Sales holding up well in Alberta and with

steadily shipping to coast, stocks on hand are light. Quotations unchanged: No. 1 cartons, 25c; No. 2, 21c; No. 1 prints, 22c; No. 2, 20c; No. 3, 17c. DAIRY BUTTER--Receipts very light; good demand for fancy table, but other offerings drab. Prices steady: Fancy table, 15c; No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 6c; No. 3, 5c. MILK--Prices unchanged. Edmonton is quoting \$1.74, and Calgary \$1.50 per 100 lbs., basis 3.6.

Poultry--Eggs
POULTRY--Supply on light order. Fowl in fair condition, but chicken very starchy. Demand limited, consisting only of odd orders from hotels and restaurants. Prices steady: Fowl, No. 1, 6c; No. 2, 4c; No. 3, 3c. EGGS--Prices moved up 2c@3c since last report. Supplies light. Extra and can be used to remove wheat and small seeds from barley. The Carter division is run over a flanning mill first to remove large foreign matter and blow out light material.

Hay--Feed Oats--Greenfeed.
HAY--Carload lot business at a standstill. Prices holding unchanged. Upland \$9.00; timothy \$7.00; alfalfa \$6.00. Greenfeed \$1.00; alfalfa \$1.00; timothy \$1.00. FEED OATS--Light offerings and demand drab. Price steady at 15c per ton. SUPPLIES LIGHT. Delivery. Little call for this feed recently. Quality good, and price steady at \$6 per ton, delivered. Calgary Market Examiner.

J. G. Dobry Delivers Address On Recent U.F.A. Convention to Big Viking Audience

Viking, Feb. 23.
Addressing a gathering of farmers and townspeople which filled the meeting place to capacity last Friday night, J. G. Dobry stated that in his opinion the recently held U.F.A. convention was by far the most important gathering of its kind held in Canada in recent years.

The stress and strain of these difficult times demand bold and determined action on the part of the U.F.A. movement. The call not only by dealing with matters which it is hoped will relieve hardship and suffering, but but certain steps which have as their ultimate objective the bringing about of much needed fundamental social re-construction.

Some of the matters the convention took action on are as follows:
Reaffirmed the declaration of a platform that the U.F.A. movement is the attainment of the Co-operative Commonwealth state of society in which the basic principle governing production, distribution and exchange will be the supplying of human needs instead of the making of profits. Means that are attained by evolutionary means: that is to say by progressive steps in social and economic reconstruction.

The convention decided to join the new national organization--The Co-operative Commonwealth Federation. The convention endorsed the legislation which the Brownlee government hopes to enact during the present session with respect to giving the farmer debtors adequate protection in their homes and living.

A resolution was passed calling for the depreciation of Canadian currency to the level of the currencies of Canada's chief competitors in export markets (Australia, Argentina etc.). Asked for a central meeting board for primary products. Passed a resolution opposing further alienation of crown lands. The convention called for a national wheat board, such board to be financed by a tax on wheat at the rate of one cent per bushel at least cost of production.

The convention demanded right of free speech for university professors and all other people. A strongly worded resolution urged that all loans to soldier settlers on S.S.B. lands be non-interest bearing; that annual payments shall not exceed one-quarter crop and that security of tenure be guaranteed so long as these conditions are complied with.

The above as well as many other resolutions passed by the convention were dealt with by J. G. Dobry. The speaker then very effectively answered many questions which related mostly to the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation.

Hollen and Viking Teams Tied in Hockey Playoff

Viking, Feb. 23.
By winning easily from the local nuck squad here on Monday evening, Hollen and Viking evened out the Viking in the exciting hockey league playoff series. Hollen shut out our hopefulls in a rather listless game by the score of 3 to 0. The weather was not conducive to good hockey, snow falling continually and a stiff breeze whipping across the ice. Each team has now won two games and the series is warming up.

Teacher--"What do you understand by 'a king with absolute power'?" Little Maggie--"Please, sir, an unmarried king!"

Fanning Mill and Carter Disk Cleaner Valuable Combination to Clean Seed

**Seed Exposed to Frost or Excessive Weathering Should
Be Tested for Germination Before the
Cleaning Operation**

F. V. Hutton, of the Dominion Experimental Station, Rosthern, Sask., has the following to say on correctly preparing seed grain:
If the grain to be used for seed has been exposed to frost or excessive weathering, it would be well to have it tested for germination before spending time cleaning.

The cleaning apparatus used on the Dominion Experimental Station at Rosthern consists of a fanning mill and a Carter disk cleaner. This combination works very well for wheat and can be used to remove wheat and small seeds from barley. The Carter division is run over a flanning mill first to remove large foreign matter and blow out light material.

In cleaning grain with the ordinary fanning mill which uses two screens or more, a good job can be done as a rule if there is a fair assortment of sieves and the grain or seeds to be removed are not the same weight

and size as the grain to be cleaned. No definite size of sieves can be specified, as the sieves will have to be varied with the size of the grain. A general principle to recognize is that the grain to be cleaned should just pass through the top sieve or sieve which runs off the straw, chaff and rubbish. Usually this sieve will sieve off a small percentage of good grain which is over-ripe. The grain now passes through an air draft which moves dust, light grain, and some small weed seeds if present. The last sieve the grain passes over should be small enough to prevent the grain through but large enough to allow all small weed seeds to pass.

The above outline is the principle on which most fanning mills operate, and if properly understood, can be suited to almost any work with grain. For such work as the removal of wild oats from a wheat, the Carter disk or some such cleaner is necessary in order to do a perfect job.

Advertising Assistants
Canada's Tourist Trade
Montreal, Feb. 22--Advertising has been responsible for the development of the tourist trade in Canada. That of the tourist trade, stated Tom McDonough, Canadian National Railway tour agent at Jasper National Park, in a recent address. "Canada has set aside seven national parks in the Rockies and the Yukon and their visitors, said Mr. McDonough, and these, Jasper, with an area of more than 2,000 square miles, is the largest of them. The advertising of the attractions of this and other famous beauty spots of the Dominion has brought about a steady increase of tourist traffic, which, previous to the onset of depressed business conditions a few years ago, had reached the annual revenue total of nearly \$500,000,000. Even with less favorable conditions prevailing everywhere, tourist visitors to Canada during 1932 had spent not less than \$160,000,000, and this revenue was added only to that obtained by the export of agricultural products. A recent development in Jasper National Park has been the provision of speckled trout fishing through artificial propagation at Magline Lake and tourists can now land speckled trout of three and four pounds from these icy waters.

Girl (to one-arm driver): "For goodness sake use two hands." One arm driver: "Can't be done, I've got to use one hand to drive." The Campbell house on Sundays at 130 deserves further commendation. The selections on the 19th were appropriate for the day, causing as it was said, "The ears of present situation. Let the government build and construct freely and pay with the notes, thereby stirring business."

SOUP
"A Few Noodles by Tun."
Before and After
Miss Brown--"I frankly admit I am looking for a husband." Mrs. Black--"So am I." "But I thought you had one?" "I have, but I spend most of my time looking for him."

Teacher--"Johnny will you define the genders." Johnny--"There are two genders, masculine and feminine. Masculine is divided into two parts, temperate and intemperate; and feminine into torrid and frigid!"

The Good Old Days
Father--"I think you're very foolish to be so envious of the good old days before I thought of taking a wife." Son--"But father, this is different. I am not thinking of taking anybody's wife."

Retracted
"Half of the City Council Are Crooks," screamed the headlines of a certain newspaper. A retraction was demanded and the next afternoon's headlines ran--"Half of the City Council Are Not Crooks."

Only Dead Husbands Are Perfect!
Rastus was dead. A wonderful funeral was in progress. The preacher talked at great length of the good traits of the deceased brother, what a devoted husband he was; what a good provider for his family; what a loving husband and father-- The widow grew restless. "Johnny," she whimpered up and down and look in that coffin and see if that's yore pa."

"Fighting Bob" Smallwood
Receives Acclamation Div. 3
The annual meeting of the M. D. of Battle River, No. 423, was held on Saturday, Feb. 18, in Kinsella hall. The gathering was well attended and the following candidates were nominated:

Division 2--W. A. Burton, A. A. Taylor.
Division 6--H. Muir, H. D. Vesey, J. B. Bowles, of Calgary, and "Fighting Bob" Smallwood were re-elected by acclamation for division 3. Nominations for a representative on the Warrenton House board were: William Santee and Walter Gray. A motion to continue the contract with the Iron Times was passed by a large majority.

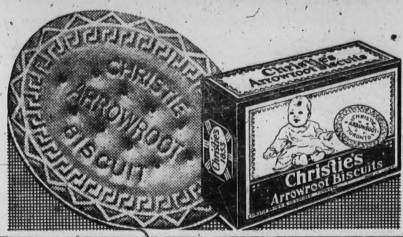
World's Grain Congress Draws Alberta Entries

Edmonton, Feb. 22--Far exceeding all expectations Alberta's entries for the World Grain Congress at Regina in July total 287. In the wheat and oats classes, appear Herman Trele, world wheat and oats champion, and a host of well known exhibitors who have been in America for the 25th anniversary of the Boy Scout movement formed by Baden Powell. A delightful program.

Only the best is good enough for Baby

Proved purity and quality upon which no imitation can possibly improve. For 80 years the favorite arrowroot biscuits in Canadian homes.

Christie's PURE Arrowroot Biscuits



Tabulating The Census.

In this machine age, and during a period of unemployment on a scale never before experienced, there is a tendency in some quarters to lay the chief blame for the prevailing unemployment on one factor—the machine. It is being argued that man through its great inventive genius has succeeded so well that he is putting himself out of work; that the machine is now doing what man himself ought to do. It cannot be denied that the machine has displayed man-power in many directions and ways. But, conversely, it cannot be denied that the machine has developed so many new things and made them accessible to masses of the people who would otherwise be denied them, that in other directions and ways, the machine has created employment for man. Many examples of this might be given.

Aside from this, however, there is another fact that is too often overlooked, and that is, hundreds of things are now being made and done by machinery which would never be done at all if we had to depend upon man-power to do them. They would be economically impossible, and but for the machine, man would simply be denied these things which the machine now do or provide for him. In such instances the machine is not depriving man of employment, but is merely adding to the sum total of the world's goods, services, conveniences, even knowledge.

Let us devote this article to a concrete illustration of this fact, gleaned from a most interesting newspaper article. Can you imagine a machine that counts 240 separate facts at the same time? Can you imagine another that detects man-made mistakes? Yet the inventive genius of a Canadian has evolved such machines which are now at work in the Census Bureau at Ottawa, machines unlike anything in the world. They are not replacing men and women, because as many, or more, persons are employed in the Census Bureau as in former years, but they are making thousands of calculations now possible which otherwise would never be made.

The 1931 census of Canada now being tabulated is the biggest job of its kind ever undertaken in this country. Were it not for the two machines referred to it would cost three times as much as it will to tabulate the information which will be published, and it would, therefore, never be undertaken. In addition, much more information will be compiled than will be published, but it will be available if and when required.

The two machines are the verifier and the tabulator. The first detects errors and the second counts 240 different facts from individual cards at the rate of 245 cards a minute.

The data taken by census enumerators is transferred to small cards by punching holes for each fact recorded, hole is punched in the proper place to indicate the sex, age, religion, nationality, language, racial origin, and other things of the person being counted. This card is then sent to the certifying machine to check possible errors. The machine throws out cards on which conflicting pieces of information are recorded. For instance, if a person's age is 25 and he is listed by mistake as a non-voter, under 21, the card is thrown into the discard by the machine and sent back for checking to correct the discrepancy.

If a man gives his racial origin as Jewish and his religion as Baptist the card is thrown out and re-checked. If the sex is omitted the card is shot back. The machine, of course, cannot detect a straight error in a single fact, such as the wrong age, or the wrong sex, but it can and does detect all discrepancies of conflicting data.

The tabulator is the only machine in the world which will count 240 separate facts at the same time, and, as already stated, it does it at the rate of 245 cards a minute. Just how these two uncanny, almost human, machines do their work space will not permit of a description, intensely interesting as it would be. They were invented by A. E. Thornton, mechanical superintendent of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, and were built in Ottawa under his direction and that of his assistant, F. Bellisle. These two men worked for three years on their plans. They had some little difficulty persuading the Government to allow them to build the machines as commercial manufacturers scooped and said they would never work. The machines have been working for 15 months without a hitch.

The next largest machine in the world is at Washington and is used by the United States Census Bureau. It, however, tabulates only 60 facts at a time compared with the 240 tabulated by the Canadian machine. The largest commercial machine in the world tabulates only 36 facts and cannot be bought. It can only be rented. Before the next U.S. census is taken, Mr. Thornton's machine will likely be in operation at Washington, Canada, is miles ahead of the United States in this respect.

Development of the machine was an exemplification of the theory of necessity being the mother of invention. Had Mr. Thornton and Mr. Bellisle not set to work in their little machine shop it would most likely never have been invented. Private companies would scarcely devote time and expense because there is little market. The machine is of use only for census purposes and the Dominion Government is the only customer in Canada.

But to emphasize the idea mentioned at the outset of this article. Let it be repeated that these machines are not throwing people out of jobs. The tabulation of the present census will not cost less than previous ones and as many or more people are employed. What the machine does is enable the Bureau to do much more work, to tabulate much more information than before, and which, without the machines, never would be tabulated.

So much information will be tabulated, that it is stated, if it were all published the volumes would fill the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa and the printing costs would approach the operating costs of the Canadian National Railways. By careful selection the Bureau will decide what will be published, and what figures will be of greater use to the people of Canada as a whole. But the whole picture will be kept on file in Ottawa. The Bureau of Statistics will be a veritable gold mine for research workers and students of sociology and economics, because all this information, carefully tabulated, will be available to them.

Her Heart Was Weak Nerves Shaky, Nights Restless



Mrs. A. Black, Wallaceburg, Ont., writes:—
"I suffered from heart weakness, shaky nerves, and restless nights.
I saw your advertisement for Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and decided to try them although I did not have much faith, but now I am very thankful I did as they have proved of wonderful help to me.
I am now strong and well again, but am never without a box in the house."

For sale at all drug and general stores; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

New Tire Guarantee Announced

New Warranty Hoped To Result In More Satisfactory Service

Much of the confusion incidental to tire adjustment claims will be eliminated by a new guarantee announced by all standard-line tire manufacturers. Tire companies believe that no longer will car owners find themselves in dispute with dealers or manufacturers as to the validity of their claims.

The new guarantee, planned to remove all contentious possibilities, warrants tires used in private passenger car service for 9 months or 12 months, depending on the type of tire, and a guarantee certificate accompanies each tire.

All road hazards, excepting punctures and running flat, are covered by the new guarantee and provision is made for a satisfactory repair or a pro rata adjustment based on the term of the guarantee. It will be seen that under this new warranty, allowance will be made for such injuries as stone-bruises, cuts, wheels out of line, faulty-brakes, etc., not previously covered by tire guarantees. This is a new and definite advantage to the tire user.

Dealers are now selling tires under the new guarantee and motorists are warned that a certificate should be obtained with each new tire. The new guarantee covers, also, tires sold as equipment on new passenger cars to be used in private service.

Leading tire manufacturers believe the new warranty will result in more satisfactory automobile service through the elimination of disputes and the broadened coverage of the warranty.

EXCESS FAT MELTS

Under Treatment that Creates Energy

Some folks are naturally fat, but there's a lot of people who put on pounds of unhealthy fat because they haven't got enough energy to move about to keep it off.

It's not laziness in most cases—but a condition brought about by sluggishness of the internal organs—the liver, bowels, and kidneys. As a result, poisons and harmful acids that kill vigor, ambition, and energy get into the blood—the whole general tone of the body is lowered and fat accumulates.

Thousands of overwrought men and women find in Kruschen Salts, a safe, sure, and beneficial means of reducing.

The "little daily dose" of Kruschen Salts keeps the organs functioning properly every day, and fills you with such a feeling of radiant vitality and vigor that before you know it you are fairly "jumping out of your skin" with energy, instead of moving around—and reduction follows as a matter of course—Nature attends to that.

FREE TRIAL OFFER

If you have never tried Kruschen—try it now at our expense. We have distributed a great many special "GIANT" packages which make you feel like a new man. Ask your druggist for the new "GIANT" 75c package. This consists of our regular 75c bottle together with a special salt sure—sufficient for about one week. Open the trial bottle first, put it to the test, and then, if not entirely convinced that Kruschen does everything we claim it to do, the regular bottle still at good as new. Take it back. Your druggist is authorized to return your 75c bottle to us to prove our claim for you. You have tried Kruschen free, at our expense. Send for the "GIANT" 75c package. Manufactured by E. Griffiths Hughes, Ltd., Manchester, England. Distributors: Macmillan's, Ltd., London, Toronto.

Not Enough To Go Round

Farmers Keen On Getting Pure Bred Breeding Stock

Reports received by A. A. MacMillan, Chief of the Sheep and Swine Division of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, show that Saskatchewan breeders, like hog breeders all over Canada, are particularly keen on getting pure bred breeding stock. All the pure bred sows from the Industrial Farm at Moose Jaw were purchased on the account of the Federal Department for distribution under the Brood Sow Policy. And while this looked like a large order to dispose of, demand was so keen for this high quality stock that it literally sold itself; and, as a matter of fact, it has been quite impossible to service the large number of enquiries for pure bred gilts which this sale attracted.

Communists Object

The Kiwanis Club of Timmins, Ont., has undertaken a campaign to secure a day's pay from every employed person to assist those in need. According to the Porcupine Advance, it is meeting with general success. But it is meeting with opposition from the Communist element which has issued a circular pouring abuse on those promoting the plan—Toronto Globe.

Continuation of the drought in the high-belt grazing regions is threatening South Africa's livestock this season.

According to the 1930 census South Carolina has the highest percentage of illiteracy.

How Soviet Russia Trades

Demands Cash From Others But Unlimited Credit For Itself

How the barter scheme with Soviet Russia would work out we will very likely not be allowed to know, because the Canadian Government is asked to guarantee \$4,000,000, but in the case of a real trade agreement we get some idea. Italy has a trading post drawn up in 1924, which expires next August, and the Italian Government has apparently had enough of it as notice is expected to be given within the next few weeks to terminate it. Not only has the trade been very one-sided, but while the Soviet demands cash for Italian purchases, it demanded four years' and four months credit for itself. Now the Soviet has put forward feelers for longer credit: That might be five years, six years, seven, or how long will you give.

Much as nations want trade, five years or more credit compared with cash "is a bit too thick."—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Canadian Seeds Exchanged

Canadian Wild Flower Seeds For Planting On War Graves In Europe

A report issued by the Division of Botany of the Dominion Experimental Farms Branch show that the annual exchange list of seeds, collected in the arboretum, comprised some 1,357 species, and a total of 4,802 packets of seeds, 150 rooted plants and 11 cuttings were sent out to 110 botanical gardens or other botanical institutions, throughout the world. In return, 21,171 packets of seeds and 21 cuttings were received from foreign gardens. Special supplies were obtained, as required, for scientific workers in Canada. Twenty-eight packets of seed of Canadian wild flowers were sent to the War Graves Committee for planting on the battlefields of Europe. Other activities included studies of the life history of noxious weeds, and of chemical methods of eradication.

Studio At Coast

British Films To Be Produced In British Columbia

A studio for production of British moving pictures will be established in British Columbia, it was announced by Major C. Fairbanks Smith, former British army officer who has superintended construction of large studios in Hollywood. The announcement follows the incorporation of the British-American Film Company at Victoria.

The studios will be rented to various Hollywood producers who desire to continue in the British market under the Empire-Quota laws. In addition the company will make at least eight productions of its own each year under the direction of Edward Carewe, who has been engaged by the company, Major Smith added. The company will be under British control as the British quota law specifies while the staff and actors will be 75 per cent. British.

Shows Star Movements

Young 'Amateur Astronomer Builds "Stararium" In St. Louis

A miniature planetarium which is said to unfold the drama of the firmament in much the same manner as does the \$1,000,000 Alder planetarium in Chicago has been built at St. Louis, Montana, by Stuart O'Byrne, 27-year-old amateur astronomer.

O'Byrne calls his model a "stararium," since, he says, it shows only star movement, while a true planetarium, of which there are only two in the United States, will show the movements of the stars, planets, sun and moon in their proper position in relations to the time of the year and the latitude from which observed.

It takes thirty-five men about three months to paint the dome of the Capitol at Washington, and 4,300 pounds of paint are mixed for the task.

Over 55,000 pounds—of herring scales have been sold by fishermen of New Brunswick to manufacturers of artificial pearls.



CHEST COLDS Best treated externally

2 WAYS at once!



Mother! The night coughs of children can usually be relieved by one application of Vicks. Just rub on freely and cover with warm flannel.

When a cold goes down into the chest, take no chances. Go to bed and start Vicks double-action treatment.

Rub Vicks vigorously over throat and chest and cover with warm flannel. Relief is two-fold:

(1) By stimulation—Through the skin like a plaster Vicks "draws out" tightness and soreness.

(2) By inhalation—Its medicated vapors released by the heat of the body are inhaled direct to the air-passages.

To increase the stimulative effect, reddens the skin over throat and chest with hot wet towels before applying Vicks.

VICKS VAPORUB

OVER 26 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

Forage Crop Distribution

Policy Inaugurated Last Year Is To Be Continued

The forage crop distribution policy inaugurated last year by the federal minister of agriculture, the Honorable Robert Weir, is to be continued in 1933. This policy was designed to encourage and stimulate the production of seed grasses and clover in order that more feed of good quality may be available for livestock and thus develop permanency in agriculture, in the areas where it is possible to do so.

There has been named a provincial committee to handle this work, composed of T. M. Stevenson, agrostologist, forage crop laboratory, Saskatoon, who is responsible for supplying information on varieties, methods of growing and other technical data; S. H. Vigor, field crops commissioner, provincial department of agriculture, Regina, who is responsible for the selection of growers, and will, therefore, receive all applications from farmers wishing to participate in the distribution; and Nelson Young, district inspector, Dominion seed branch, Saskatoon, who will purchase and distribute the seed and also be responsible for the collection of same.

Selected lots of brome, western sweet clover and alfalfa will be distributed. Any farmer may apply for one kind of seed grass or clover, where the maximum acreage is 25 per applicant. In the case of alfalfa, seed for 10 acres can be secured, and consideration may be given an application for alfalfa and another grass. The total acreage, should this be allowed, would be 25, that is a grower may get alfalfa for 10 acres and brome for 15.

Applicants must agree to return pound for pound of seed of equal grade from the first satisfactory seed crop, or pay in cash one-half the actual cost of the seed delivered within two years. The return of seed or payment will be made to the Dominion seed branch.

Apparatus For Deaf

A perfected apparatus, which will enable the deaf and dumb to hear—and so learn to speak—was demonstrated in the office of Hon. Dr. J. D. Monteith, Ontario Minister of Public Works, under whose directions it was constructed. It is developed on the principle of sound amplification and the cost is a mere fraction of "hearing" machines now in use.

Made Old Cars Do

By making the old driver last another year Canadians got along with 27,514 fewer automobiles in 1932 than in 1931, according to statistics in the automobile industry, compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The apparent consumption of new automobiles in Canada during the year was 49,244, while 76,758 were bought in 1931.

A passenger on a railroad runs only one chance in 37,500,000 of getting killed, statisticians announce. And what's the chance of getting a cinder in the eye?

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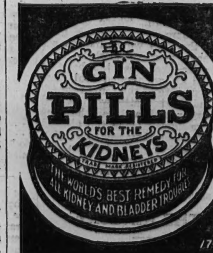
Only One Answer

Japan's Threat To Leave League Should Be Ignored

There is only one appropriate answer to Japan's threat to leave the League if the resolution censuring her proceedings in Manchuria is not withdrawn; and that is to ignore it entirely. Between a League of Nations which has bought the support of Japan by a supine acquiescence in her violence, and a League of Nations which is temporarily deprived of her support for refusing to do so, there cannot be a moment's hesitation.—London News-Chronicle.

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CHAPTER V.—Continued.

"Consequences?" he repeated. "Consequences for me? I warned you we shouldn't split our party. That was the cause of us falling. I predicted just what happened."

Haskell brushed the words aside. "The consequences of a blundering, botched-up patrol such as you led are usually demotion to the ranks. That's what you'll have to take. In an important matter like this I haven't any choice but to make you a constable. Whipple, write out the papers for his demotion."

For moments Alan stared at him. Then he laughed. It was incredible, a travesty. Busted! Busted because of this man's orders. Busted because he had been sent to, tied hand and foot, on a patrol doomed to disaster before it started.

He snapped. "You can quit that scratching, Whipple; I'm not a constable yet. And you, inspector, if you haven't got sense enough to know you're hanging onto your command by a couple of fingers, I'll tell you about it. When Williamson finds out about you ordering me to split my party, he'll either ask for your resignation or fan you down to the border where you belong. You're going to give Dave MacMillan a decent chance and I'm going to make that patrol to the Inconnu."

Across the desk Haskell surveyed the constable. "Just a moment, Baker. You said something about my ordering you to split your party. You're blaming me for your failure." He met Alan's eyes without a tremor; he was able to look steadily at Alan, as he added: "I didn't order you to split your detail. I may have suggested it, but that patrol was yours, and you're not going to hang the blame on—"

"You didn't order me to? You say you didn't order me?"

"That's exactly what I said, sergeant. I gave you no such orders." Speechless for moments, Alan finally found words. "You're a liar. A sneaking liar! You're trying to crawl out—"

Haskell jerked around to Whipple. "Make a note of that remark." He turned to Alan again, and in hard tones, with no hesitation or weakness, he said: "You came in here thinking you had some heavy artillery against me. You meant to get me. Whether I gave orders or merely suggested, isn't the question now, sergeant. The question is: How are you

going to prove your charge? Do you happen to possess any documentary evidence, or can you produce any witnesses, that I gave you that order? You can't! Hardluck. On the other hand, Constable Whipple here was present and heard what you said. So it is the word of two people against yours, and one of them your officer commanding. What do you think of your heavy artillery now?"

He smiled sarcastically, in triumph. Alan stood mute, thunderstruck. A moment ago he had thought that Haskell had actually forgotten those crazy orders. But now, with the meaning of those words dawning upon him, he realized that Haskell had deliberately planned this perfidy. By a brazen, incredibly brazen lie, he intended to squirm out of any and all responsibility for the wrecked patrol.

The very effrontery of the denial staggered Alan. In a dazed manner he sought to find a way out of what Haskell had just said. But after a little space it was borne in upon him that Haskell had beaten him; that he no longer held a sword over the inspector; that his own heavy weapon was turned against himself now. Whipple had been here; his own men had been down at the wharf. In an awkward despair he felt his situation like the fanged jaws of a trap pinning him.

He stood there speechless, staring into the cold taunting eyes of his enemy. Presently he was able to say, throatily: "I hadn't thought of that, inspector. I knew you were tricky, but still I thought you were too near being a man for a thing like that. I've been associating with men like Larry and Bill and Ed for so long that I'd forgotten your kind exists. A lie, a damnable bare-faced lie, from an officer—in that uniform."

Good G—d! If you hadn't said it, I wouldn't have believed."

"Is that all, constable?" Haskell inquired, with a faint sneer on his mouth.

"Yes, that's all. You've got me."

He turned and trudged out the door.



He Turned and Trudged Out the Door.

His thoughts were all a confused turmoil. Busted—a constable—saddled with the whole blame of that disgraced patrol—the ground cut out from under him by that brazen lie! Now he realized to the full how unscrupulous Haskell could be in a show-down fight. When reputation and Elizabeth Spaulding and command here were at stake, Haskell was as cunning as a slinker wolf and as malicious as a caracal. The inspector had been out to get him, and had got him. He stood on a level now with Whipple and Burgoon—he, once the proud leader of a proud detachment. One fact came home to him, hard and inexorable: his Inconnu trip was smashed. To make that patrol he had to have Haskell's backing. But to hope for any co-operation from the inspector would be a fool's wishful thinking. Haskell was out to get him, not those criminals. That Inconnu plan was dead.

Alan felt the terrible hopelessness of his situation. He was bound hand and foot. There was nothing on earth he could do—nothing except forget the aching vision of running those six unknown murderers to earth.

Did he dare forget? Dimly through the creeping mist he saw the candle light of the tiny hospital where Larry, his able silent comrade on many a patrol, lay tossing in pain and fever; where Larry, so strong of body, so proud of his physical powers was facing the black realization that he would never again go out on patrol with other men, and would never again follow a Strong-Woods trail. Putting out from the barracks he could see the massive outlines of the cement cell where Dave MacMillan, helpless to prove his innocence, awaited the full vengeance of the law. He felt a responsibility toward

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Dave MacMillan, all aside from Dave being Joyce's father. If it had been his duty to arrest MacMillan and bring him in, it was a higher duty, now to fight for him, to clear a man whom he knew in his heart to be innocent.

Thinking in hard practical terms, Alan saw that so long as Haskell had power over him, he could not stir a hand. If he was ever to get those criminals, he had to be free. Several paths lay open to him. One by one he studied and rejected them, till only the last remained.

For minutes he weighed that possible act. Its cost to him was a terrible cost. It would wipe out his brilliant reputation, his whole police record. It would kill his last chance of ever bringing Haskell to account. It would uproot him and take him for good and all out of this North country.

Torn by doubt and indecision, he wavered. The price seemed too staggering.

Presently he heard some one come up the terrace and glide past him and go on toward his cabin. The figure was merely a moving blur in the mist. But Alan recognized that light foot step.

He called softly: "Joyce! You wanted to see me?"

"Alan! I've been wondering where you are. Your cabin was all dark and I couldn't find you." In eager hope she asked him: "Alan, what did Haskell say about Dad? He's going to release Dad on bail, as you thought?"

Alan shook his head, sorry for her, sorry for all the heartache that lay ahead of her now. "Joyce, Haskell can't be brutal and inhuman. He wouldn't consent even to letting your dad remain here. He intends to send him outside to Edmonton."

It was on his lips to add, "Your father is being sacrificed to Haskell's need of a victim." But he could not bring himself to tell Joyce that. The news had stricken her cruelly enough. If only she could be near her father, if only she could visit him, the ordeal might be lightened for her. The lonely waiting weeks of suspense would be agony, if her father was a thousand miles away, among strangers, with no one to lift a hand for him.

He offered gently: "Joyce, if you want to go along and be near him, I'll pay—I'll see to it that you can. It'd be best for you, and for him, too, if you would."

Joyce did not answer at once. As he looked down at her, Alan was struck by the sense of how young and innocent a girl Joyce was; and with bitter self-reproach he remembered those long months of the winter past when he had left her alone to her battle, because Elizabeth, protected, sheltered, kept in ease here at Edmonton, had demanded it of him. He realized that in her desperate plight she needed his strength and protection far more than Elizabeth did. Except for him Joyce was alone in the world, without friends, relatives, money, and with her father, in the shadow of the gallows.

Presently, with the spirited courage he had always loved in her, Joyce asserted:

"Alan, I'm going back home. The Dogbribs are bringing in their furs next week. I'll send several of their men on derouline to the Hares and Loucheux and get their furs, too. I'll sacrifice all our trade goods and raise money for Dad's defense. It'll be a true way of fighting for Dad if I go back home. I don't mind being alone."

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I can take care of myself. I'll be lonesome, but all the time I'll be knowing that I'm doing the right thing and being a real help to Dad."

Alan acquiesced reluctantly, against his better judgment. A slender girl like her, scarcely out of her teens, going back to that isolated post...

A white girl, winsome, pretty, of lithe body, alone there, with Indians coming and going, with half-breeds coming and going...

Joyce asked him: "What happened between you and Haskell, Alan?"

Briefly Alan told her what had taken place down there in the cabin.

His account left Joyce speechless in a silent fury, her little fists clenched, her lips parted in astonishment.

"But he can't demote you, Alan!" she cried. "He can't blame you for his mistake."

"He can't? He's already done it! I try to fight him, if I make the slightest inconsiderate move, he's actually got the power to jail me!"

"But the Inconnu patrol—he'll let you go on that, Alan?"

(To Be Continued.)

Panama Hats

Skilful Weavers Fashion Headgear From Leaves Of Palm Trees

Panama hats, which have earned a deserved celebrity under the name, are rarely manufactured in Panama, but are made in the neighboring states of South America. The original hats came from Ecuador, which is still the chief source of production. The name originated during the gold rush to California in 1849. Prospectors purchased these straw hats in Panama and are naturally called Panama hats. Hats made from toquilla straw are now made in Colombia, Peru and in Central America, and all of them are indiscriminately known as Panama.

Few male tourists leave the Canal Zone without one or more of these hats. Shops make a specialty of catering to the winter visitor. Considerable business in this line is expected to be produced by the six "Maiden" West Indies cruises, which will land more than three thousand tourists during January, February and March.

The Panama hat is made from the leaf of the toquilla palm. The tree is now cultivated for commercial purposes in Ecuador, Colombia and Northern Peru. It becomes full-grown at eighteen months and lives for forty years or more. The straw are taken from the new leaves, which are cut off just as they are about to unfold and are split with needles or the finger nail.

In Ecuador the hats are made in the Province of Manabi, where they are known as "Jipji-Jappa." Here the hat is also made from a fan shaped palm which grows from six to ten feet high, and thrives best in hot and humid regions. After the leaves are cut from the trunk they are stripped of their outer filament, dipped for a few seconds in boiling water, withdrawn for a moment to be again immersed for an instant, taken out and shaken vigorously, hung to dry in the shade, and a day or two later are placed out in the sun to bleach. A little lemon juice added to the hot water bath gives a much whiter straw. In a day or two the leaves, or sprouts, shrivel into a cylindrical form, like string, when the straw is ready for weaving.

It was formerly believed that Panama hats were woven under water, which is not strictly true, although the straw must be kept thoroughly moistened while in the hands of the weaver. Women and children make the most skilful weavers, although men sometimes possess adeptness enough to be successful in the art. It takes from one day to a week to weave a hat, according to its fineness.

Although ordinary Panamas sell for two dollars, one made some years ago as a present to the King of England was so finely woven that it could be folded into a package no larger than a man's watch. It required six months to make this hat. It contained the finest straw and the work on it was done only during certain hours of the morning and evening, when the amount of moisture in the air was just right.

More Fish Licenses

During 1931 fish production showed a decrease for every Canadian province except Saskatchewan and the Yukon. On December 20, 1932, there had been an increase of domestic fishing licenses to the extent of 348 over the corresponding period of the previous year. This is an indication that the residents of the province are making greater use than hitherto of the fish of our own waters.

Pineapples are about 87 per cent. water.



Get Rid of That SORE THROAT!

Any little soreness in the throat grows rapidly worse if neglected. Crush some tablets of Aspirin in some water, and gargle at once. This gives you instant relief, and reduces danger from infection. One good gargle and you can feel safe. If all soreness is not gone promptly, repeat. There's usually a cold with the sore throat, so take two tablets to throw off your cold, headache, stiffness or other cold symptoms. Aspirin relieves neuralgia, neuritis, too. Use it freely; it does not hurt the heart.

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Vagabond Crow Angers Vancouver Housewives

Once Civilized Bird Is On Back To Nature Rampage

"Lock the windows and bolt the doors," is the cry of Vancouver housewives when "Impudent Oscar," recalcitrant crow, makes a devastatingally sally upon carefully guarded foodstuffs and valuables.

Oscar, once "civilized," is on a "back-to-nature" rampage. No one cared when "Ossie" began his somewhat humorous raids upon sidewalk grocers, taking peanuts, grapes, pretzels, and ruining pies. But housewives became indignant, when he made off with part of the family wash of several lines.

His forays were more serious still when he nearly took off with several sheets of an important file through a courthouse window. When he dived into the henyard of Mrs. Guy Bennett and ruthlessly attempted to bully a tiny bantam chick, it was the last straw. Since then he has been a fugitive.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michalske

STREET SINGERS

The meadow lark lifts up his voice From fields of green and gold, Where, with all earth, he can rejoice As spring's bright scenes unfold.

But these poor choristers must sing Amid the city's din, While winter's darts harass and sting Through garments worn and thin.

Dire poverty and pain they know And weariness and cold, Yet singing, singing still they go With hearts that grow not old.

The meadow lark soars up to sing From fields all gold and green; Triumphant his carols ring Through spring's enchanted scene.

Yet these street singers, like the lark, Let happy voices ring: Some power has put this joyous spark Within them, so they sing.

The Great Dinosaur

Famous Lizard Of Roche Perceé Just Boulder Says Geologist

The famous lizard of Roche Perceé is nothing more than a huge boulder, according to R. J. Lee, superannuated mining inspector and a keen geologist student.

In past years feature writers have sprawled over the massive "remanins;" then rushed to typewriters, to pound out columns of words on the great dinosaur that roamed the prairies long before they were born.

Now Mr. Lee brands it all a pipe dream. It is nothing but an unusual rock formation, he says, adding that his contention is backed by other prominent geologists.

"Your time seems to be divided between the furnace and your son?"

Yes; if I keep my eye on one the other is sure to go out."

The city of Canton, China, will start a trackless trolley system.

Little Helps For This Week

"Tribulation worketh patience, and patience, experience, and hope."—Romans 5:3.

"I waited patiently for the Lord; And He inclined unto me and heard my cry."—Psalm 40:1.

Lord, we have wandered forth through doubt and sorrow, And Thou hast made each step an onward one; And we'll ever trust each unknown tomorrow, Thou wilt sustain us till its work is done.

It is possible, when the future is dim still to cling to the conviction of God's merciful purpose towards His creatures, of His parental goodness even in suffering, still to feel the path of duty, though trodden with a heavy heart, leads to peace, still to be true to conscience. In this patient, though uncheered obedience, we become prepared for light. The soul gathers force.—Wm. E. Channing.

Passengers Were Lucky

Pilot Made Perfect Landing On Ice With One Ski

Piloting his heavy plane with marvellous skill and daring, Ronald George made an almost perfect landing on one ski on the ice of Chapeau Lake at Chapeau, Ontario. And not until the big plane had bumped to a stop did his seven passengers realize how closely they had come to death.

George took off with a party of mining notables for a trip to the Kenty Gold Mines property at Swayze Lake. A ski struck a piece of cordwood hidden in the snow and broke just as the machine lifted.

With his ear and hand cut by flying glass, George said nothing to his passengers, but appeared to be continuing on his way. Actually, however, he circled over the town, signalling groundmen to stand by for a forced landing.

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Diphtheria Can Be Prevented.

We know as much about diphtheria as we know about any other disease. In fact, we may know more. We know the germ that causes diphtheria. We know how the disease is spread from one person to another; we know how to cure the disease; providing treatment is given promptly on the first day, and, lastly and most important of all, we know how to prevent diphtheria.

We are indeed in the happy position of possessing the knowledge which would enable us to overwhelm diphtheria and make it one of the rarest diseases. We are in a position to annihilate one of the foes which, for generations, has menaced human life and left a trail of damaged bodies in its wake.

To know this is one thing, but to take the necessary steps to prevent diphtheria, but just because we have this knowledge, we will not cause diphtheria appear when we make use of what we know and not before.

There is a substance called diphtheria toxin. When this substance is injected under the skin, it stimulates the body to produce the forces which enable it to overcome the poison which diphtheria germs give off. After a certain number of injections—usually three are sufficient—given at stated intervals, the person injected is protected by immunized against diphtheria.

A simple, harmless way of saving child or child under his care.

is protected. Diphtheria is a disease which occurs protection against a disease which is responsible for about nine hundred deaths each year in Canada. What all those who are responsible for the care of young children should know is that diphtheria can be prevented. But everyone should understand also that diphtheria will not be prevented unless each child is given the necessary injection of diphtheria toxin whereby it is immunized or protected.

The responsibility rests with parents. The method of preventing diphtheria has been discovered; everyone is being told about it. The family physician is ready to give the injections. In many places, the health department furnishes the diphtheria toxin. All this is of no value, however, unless each parent or each person responsible sees to it that his child is early in life. It is not safe to delay in having children immunized. This should be attended to before the end of the first year, but even if your child is more than a year old, we can say not only that diphtheria can be prevented, but also it HAS BEEN prevented.

Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

UNITED CHURCH NOTES

The annual congregational meeting was held on Wednesday February 15 at 8 p.m. There was a fair attendance. Reports were heard from the representatives of the various departments—The Sunday School, C.G.T., and C.S.E.T., Mission Band, W.M.S., the Young Peoples' Society, and the Ladies' Aid.

The pastor gave a brief outline of the work of the various appointments, and Mr. Locke read the financial statement. It was manifest that despite the difficult times through which we are passing, there is no slackening of the work. Every organization has carried on successfully which clearly indicates the enthusiasm and faithfulness of all the officers and members concerned.

FINANCES	
Receipts—	
Balance, 1931	\$168.69
Irma Appointment	\$34.81
Passendale Appointment	103.67
Roseberry Appointment	125.02
Alma Mater Appointment	99.15
Albert Appointment	176.59
	\$1,506.54
Expenditures—	
Minister's Salary	\$1,275.00
Conference Fund	4.00
Insurance	45.20
Fuel	45.02
Printing, etc.	8.08
Presbytery Expenses	2.70
Janitor	8.00
M. & M. Fund	85.00
Balance	33.51
	\$1,506.54

Since this statement was prepared by the auditor, Mr. L. A. Schon, the board has authorized other expenditures which bring the balance to \$18.54. A complete statement will be furnished to all contributors in the near future.

The pastor expressed his thanks to all workers and loyal supporters of the choir for its faithful services. After the benediction, the ladies served lunch during the social hour that followed.

CRESCENT HILL NOTES

A very enjoyable time was had at Crescent Hill school house on February 13 when the U.F.A. local held a combined business entertainment meeting, this being the first anniversary of the local.

General business was the first item followed by Mr. Sanders' report of the U.F.A. convention. Then followed a sandwich program consisting of a reading by Mrs. Sanders, a duet by Johnny and Martin Enger, and concluded with a short play entitled, "Proposals," with a dance after each number, making a sandwich everyone enjoyed.

The membership fees this year were reduced to \$1.00 which brought in five new members.

There always seems to be lots doing in this district. A very successful dance was held on February 17 in aid of the piano fund and a masquerade dance will be held on March 10. Good, snappy music will be supplied by the Stougaard and Enger orchestra which is becoming very popular with the dancing public.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear wife, Elsie Nottingham, and our dear mother, who passed away February 22, 1932.

From a loving husband, Jim, and loving children, Cynthia and Eric. Gone from us but memories stay. Such memories we cherish. Death can never take away Those memories: not perish.

Jim Nottingham.

Avonglen Dreadnaughts

You've probably read, or otherwise heard about the Dreadnaughts of Avonglen! In the world of sport their name is revered. Don't be ignorant and ask me when. The ladies, I notice, are increasing in number—Especially when the veterans are there. I'm sorry I'm through the lack of lumber. That we have so few seats to spare.

Each day we see new recruits: They just simply cannot resist. They come to the rink from all routes. With no less a person on my list—Than (gee whiz, you'd never guess). Did I hear someone say, "Jesse?" Did we have a surprise? O boy! Yes! But the one I have in mind is Roy!

One offered him skates, another a stick. "I know nothing about the game," he said.

I thought it as well to persuade the old nicks! But how he knew the game—from A to Z.

Eventually he really gave way; He suddenly disappeared from my view. Then I heard, "Hip, hip, hooray! Another recruit for Monty New!

Then I began to rub my eyes. And looking in all directions quick, I must admit I was not surprised. To see Roy Shots behind a stick!

Now the coach sure was kept busy With his ever untiring aid. He appeared to make the fans real dizzy.

By demonstrating the way he made. Who said Jesse Allen? Sure he was there!

And a crowd from out east with Bill Pollard. When Jesse arrived, nothing will compare. In the way how those fans hollered.

They shouted "come on!" but not on his life. He discussed the same with the fans. He probably had orders from the wife. He was itching to get a stick in his hands.

With Roy's help, that puck was hurled. Jesse could see the boys getting hot. Did he help? I'll tell the world! With the dipper and pail of water.

In Steve Thompson we place implicit trust. They sure miss him when he's gone. To make an appeal, I simply must. For a goal we want Bert Haun.

With him, I sincerely believe. You'd be safe in betting your shirt. You never hear 'em shout, "Come on, Steve!"

And the same will apply to Bert. We're yet one short. Can we make it? Here's an appeal to another "nipper."

Don't care a hang how he takes it. But I'm going to ask Tom Slipper. Say, Tom, don't let me plead in vain. Hate that, or you might gain. Work worrying about the price of grain.

But don't. And call for Bert and Jesse. Don't call for Roy, you'll be out of luck. You can bet your life he's gone. You'll find him chasing the puck.

If we call for Bert, for goodness sake drive on! W. F. Carter is appealing for news. You're dying to come, don't fight it. Doc Greenberg can; no, better cure the blues.

Play the game and I'll darned soon write it. —J. Nottingham.

NOTICE

In the Estate of CHARLES THEODORE HILL, late of the City of Regina, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named Charles Theodore Hill, who died on the 8th day of February, A.D. 1933, are required to file with Frederick McLeellan, Esq., Alberta, by the 8th day of April, A.D. 1933, a full statement, duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been to their knowledge. DATED this 21st day of February, A.D. 1933.

CLIFTON G. PURVIS,
(Solicitor for the Executors)

Annual Legion Meeting

Monday, March 6th

The annual meeting of the Irma Branch, No. 112, of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will be held at 7:30 p.m., Monday, March 6th, at the Simond's hall. All members, both past and present, are cordially invited to attend.

Officers to be elected for the ensuing year and other business to be discussed, so kindly keep this date open and let us have the pleasure of seeing a big rally of comrades, for old times' sake.

The meeting will be followed by cards and smoker. A light supper will be served. Ladies are asked to bring cakes.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS DUE
This week The Times is mailing out subscription accounts to all those not on the Municipal lists who are in arrears. These subscription accounts represent quite a sum to us and is needed to carry on the paper. If you wish to continue receiving The Times regularly, remit as soon as possible.

Here it is! C.G.T. Play in the Little-er's Hall, March 24. The Little-er's Bride's Maid. Adults, 35c; students, 25c; children 12 and under, 15c.

Messrs. A. E. Foxwell and N. S. Johnson, motored to Edmonton on Monday where they closed a deal with Mr. L. Larson of the Nu-Way Stores for the purchase of the Nu-Way business in Irma.

Miss Myrtle Fitzpatrick spent the week-end with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ryan at Viking. She forgot the organization of the school fair on March 4 at the Irma public school at the hour of 2 o'clock. A good representation is required from all school districts adjacent to Irma and Jarrow. This representation should include the teacher. All organization work will be done at this meeting committees appointed and everything arranged so that the preparation for the fair will go ahead at full speed.

The meeting and help make the fair a greater success than ever. The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at Mrs. Albert Knudson's on Thursday, Mar. 2, at 2:30 p.m.

The first meeting of the social for the Institute members and their families on Friday, March 10, in Hedley's hall. —Mrs. R. C. McFarland.

Hugh Mackinnon of Aulandale, has been visiting her daughter and family, Mrs. C. E. Fenton.

Mr. Johnny Enger visited for a few days this week at Winter, Sask. It was wrongly reported last week that the Irma Young Peoples' Society were giving a play for the benefit of the Irma Ladies' Aid. The young people have chosen a play which they will put on to raise some funds for their own society.

Mr. A. Gamble of the Bank of Montreal staff, Irma, is away on his holiday.

Miss Agnes Craig who has been visiting friends and relatives in Edmonton returned home on Monday last.

The first meeting of the Irma village council since the election of the new councillor will meet on Wednesday evening, March 15.

Mrs. C. T. Hill received word that her sister, Mrs. Curran, residing in Massachusetts, underwent a serious operation.

We understand that the Irma Ladies' Aid are preparing to put on a play this spring, entitled "Go Slow, Mary."

There will be a dance in the Fabryan school house on March 3. The music will be good, the admission 35 cents, and the ladies are asked to bring cakes.

The Board of Health, consisting of the village council respectfully ask the co-operation of the parents of the village in reporting any sign of whooping cough. Please report all suspected cases to any member of the council or the secretary, E. W. Reeds has recovered sufficiently from an attack of the flu to resume his duties again this week as teacher of the school.

Bert To Mr. and Mrs. Earl Prior on February 18, a daughter.

AVONDALE U.F.W.A.

An interesting paper on the objects and plans of the C.C.F. was given by Mrs. R. D. Allen and was followed by a general discussion on the subject.

The regular meeting of Avondale local met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Balmont on Thursday afternoon, February 16 with a good attendance of 25 ladies, including visitors, present.

The meeting opened with singing and the Club Womans' Creed was read by Mrs. J. Thompson. Roll call was answered by "Sayings of Aunt Het."

A splendid bulletin for the month was read by Mrs. S. S. Thompson. Mrs. Prothero contributed two enjoyable violin solos and also accompanied the singing.

Several items of business of minor importance were disposed of and arrangements made for a St. Patrick's dance at Passendale school on Mar. 17, with Coulman's orchestra in attendance, are under way.

A call for membership by the president was responded to by two renewals and Mrs. Willerton of Roseberry was warmly welcomed as a new member.

"Home Sweet Home" was sung as a closing song and was followed by refreshments. The following young ladies taking entire charge of serving: Miss Leslie, Miss Doris Johnson, Miss Ellen Feidler, Miss Doris Ford and Miss Doris Anderson.

A vote of thanks to the hostess brought another successful meeting to a close.

The following poem handed in by a reader shows that he has been studying present day economic problems.

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NOTES OF INTEREST OF BUSY KINSELLA

Kinsella, Feb. 22.—Miss Ella Cormack spent the week-end with Miss Kathleen Ferries.

The Ladies' Aid are practicing for a play to be given in the near future. The play put on by the Rodino young people was well patronized as was also the dance afterwards.

Callers at the home of Mrs. Garvie on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Jones and family, and the latter's father, Mr. Thoreson.

The Creamery Co. are having an addition built to their creamery.

Mr. H. Richardson is the new pumpman here for the C. N. R. Mr. H. Henick returned from Edmonton on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams were in Viking on Monday.

Mr. Carl Smogard left last Friday evening on No. 2. He has gone to visit his parents in the U.S.

Visitors at the home of R. L. Eaton on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Austin and daughter, and Mrs. Hart of Lake Vernon, also Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Richardson of Viking.

The hockey match played here on Sunday between Viking and Kinsella resulted in a tie.

Messrs. R. S. Nease, A. A. Wadden and Harry Miller attended the hockey match and boxing matches in Viking on Monday evening.

The Jarroo Ladies' Aid will meet Wednesday March 1, at the home Mrs. Marbray.

Hostesses: Mrs. Lissom and Mrs. Matthews.

Mrs. Williams was a Wainwright visitor on Saturday.

On Thursday evening February 6, five little girls met at the home of Mrs. McCracken for the purpose of forming a mid-week group in connection with the Sunday school. Although at present only five can attend, with warmer weather the number may possibly reach eight or ten. The name chosen for the group was The Sunbeams.

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